Baltimore City Community College



LIFE SCIENCES INSTITUTE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, BALTIMORE BIOPARK

PRESENTATION TO THE BALTIMORE
CITY DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING'S
COMPREHENSIVE ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY
(CEDS) COMMITTEE

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PROJECT DESCRIPTION

- Investment area for a projected 106 new jobs (through BCCC) and 2500 new full-time jobs (through the UMB BioPark) in the Poppleton neighborhood of Baltimore City (an area identified by 2007 CEDS as a Strategic Focus Area)
- EDA funds will be used toward the build-out the second floor of Building 2 of a biomedical research park on the campus of the University of Maryland, Baltimore (proposed move-in: Fall 2009).

CAREER LATTICE MODEL



- The BCCC Life Sciences Institute will be designed in a career lattice 4+2+2 model –
 - o four years (ninth through 12th grades) at local BCPSS high schools,
 - two years at BCCC (leading to an Associate's Degree), and
 - either job placement or transfer to a four-year institution (for a Bachelor of Science Degree)

BCCC PROGRAMS TRANSFERRING TO THE BCCC LIFE SCIENCES INSTITUTE AT UMB BIOPARK

 Biotechnology (Associate of Applied Science Degree or AAS)

Environmental Science (AAS)

NEW PROGRAMS AT BCCC LIFE SCIENCES INSTITUTE AT UMB BIOPARK

Associate Degree Programs:

- Pre-Forensic Science Transfer (AA)
- Pre-Dental Transfer (AA)
- Pre-Pharmacy Transfer (AA)
- Pre-Medical Technology Transfer(AAS)
- Mathematics Education Transfer (AA)

Certificate Programs:

- Environmental Science
- Biotechnology
- Laboratory Animal Care
- Chemistry Lab Technology

IMPACT

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The direct economic impact of BCCC's Life Sciences Institute at the UMB BioPark falls into 2 main categories:

- Development of a workforce educated and trained to successfully undertake the new jobs projected in the health/biosciences industries; and
- Generation of new jobs by the project itself.

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

- Over a 10-year period, Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation (2006) has projected 18,000 openings in the Baltimore Workforce Investment area in occupations related to the educational/training programs planned for the UMB BioPark.
- BCCC will expand and/or introduce nine programs, and within 10 years will generate more than 1,100 graduates ready to enter the well-paying jobs projected in the health and bioscience sectors of the local economy.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT



- Within 10 years, the BCCC Life Sciences Institute at the UMB BioPark will generate 50 full-time faculty and 20 administration/staff positions.
- Build-out of the site will requires 36 positions over six to 18 months.
- Within 10 years, the UMB BioPark will generate more than 2,500 jobs in the local economy.

INVESTMENT ANALYSIS

- The proposed investment has strong organizational leadership.
- The proposed investment will advance productivity, innovation, and entrepreneurship.
- The proposed investment demonstrates a high degree of commitment by exhibiting private sector leverage, support by local elected officials, and strong cooperation between business sector, regional partners, and local/state governments.

BCCC LIFE SCIENCES INSTITUTE PROJECT BUDGET

- Construction (Build-Out) \$4.7 million
- Lease \$1.5 million
- Equipment and Start Up Costs- \$2.5 million

TOTAL - \$8.7 MILLION

PROJECT FUNDING SOURCES



Pending Commitments:

- \$2.7 million from EDA Grant
- \$600,000 from Maryland Department of Business and Economic Development
- \$1.5 million from Senator Mikulski-sponsored 2009 Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Spending Bill (bill passed the full Senate Appropriations Committee; awaiting scheduling for vote on Senate floor)
- City of Baltimore Grant
- Internal Reserves/State Education Bonds

PROJECT FUNDING SOURCES (Continued)



Secured Commitments (\$792,000):

- \$282,000 from a Federal Omnibus Funding Bill (Small Business Administration)
- \$310,000 from a New Market Tax Credit
- \$200,000 from the Wexford Corporation

CEDS ENDORSEMENT/EDA INVESTMENT

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BOTTOM LINE:

Without the CEDS Committee endorsement and the EDA grant of \$2.7 million, the BCCC Life Sciences Institute at the UMB BioPark cannot be accomplished...

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QUESTIONS & ANSWERS



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